

# THE NORTHFIELD HERALD

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## NORTHFIELD VOTES

### Republican Party Makes A Fine Showing At Our Polls

#### Hoover Carries With 697 Votes; The Vote Complete

Election day passed off quietly in town. A large record vote was cast. There is a total of 915 voters registered. 788 votes were cast and 54 absentee ballots were received making approximately 93 per cent of votes recorded.

The voting was particularly heavy during the morning hours and evidenced a deep interest in the election. The vote for Northfield in detail for National, State and County officers was as follows:

**President and Vice President**  
Com. 0  
Rep. 697  
Lab. 0  
Dem. 119  
Pro. 15  
Upshaw & Regan

**Governor**  
Com. 1  
Dem. 125  
Lab. 8  
Rep. 682  
John J. Ballam  
Joseph B. Ely  
Alfred Baker Lewis  
Charles S. Oram  
Wm. S. Youngman

**Lieutenant Governor**  
Rep. 679  
Lab. 1  
Com. 0  
Dem. 12  
John E. Swift

**Secretary**  
Dem. 97  
Rep. 680  
Lab. 3  
Com. 0  
Albert L. Waterman

**Treasurer**  
Lab. 1  
Com. 0  
Dem. 101  
Francis Prescott  
Glen Trimble

**Auditor**  
Com. 0  
Lab. 3  
Rep. 638  
Dem. 7  
Daniel T. Blessington  
Alonso B. Cook  
David A. Eisenberg  
Francis X. Hurley

**Attorney General**  
Dem. 89  
Com. 0  
Lab. 1  
Rep. 4  
John P. Buckley  
Maria C. Corraia  
Fred E. Oelcher  
George E. Roewer  
William R. Scharton  
Joseph E. Warner

**Congressman**  
Rep. 669  
Dem. 98  
Lab. 8  
A. T. Treadway  
Thomas F. Cassidy  
Paul C. Wicks

**Councillor**  
Rep. 639  
Dem. 104  
Lab. 0  
J. Arthur Baker  
James P. Mahoney

**Senator**  
Rep. 627  
Dem. 145  
Lab. 0  
Albert C. Bray  
James B. Kennedy

**Representative In General Court**  
Rep. 701  
Lab. 0  
Com. 0  
Fred B. Dole

**County Commissioners**  
Rep. 619  
Lab. 0  
Com. 0  
William B. Avery  
Allen C. Burnham

**Sheriff**  
Rep. 736  
Lab. 0  
Com. 0  
Fred W. Doane

**Question No. 1**  
Relative to Chiropractic Practice  
Yes 170—No 351

**Question No. 2**  
Relative to primaries  
Yes 240—No 184

**Question No. 3**  
Relative to Resolution on  
Presidential Term  
Yes 379—No 104

**Entertains Clergymen At Summer Home**  
Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart of Gardner, Mass., opened their summer home "Silhouette" for a few days when they entertained the Clergy club of Worcester District Methodist Episcopal Church, at a Halloween house party. Lunch on Monday evening was enjoyed at the open fireplace. At the regular monthly business meeting on Tuesday, papers by Rev. Howard Hare on "What Salvation Can the Church Offer?" and "The old Order in the New Order" by Doctor Robert M. Pierce, District Superintendent were presented. Those present included:

Dr. and Mrs. Robert M. Pierce, Worcester; Dr. and Mrs. William S. Mitchell, Worcester; Rev. and Mrs. Willard Arnold, Whitinsville; Dr. and Mrs. Walter Healy, Leominster; Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Hopkinson, Fitchburg; Rev. and Mrs. Charles I. Spear, Milford; Rev. and Mrs. Ira J. Roberts, Southbridge; Rev. and Mrs. Howard Hare, Ashburnham; Rev. and Mrs. Reginald Nichols, West Fitchburg; Rev. Edmund D. Lupien, East Pepperell.

### Enjoyed Turkey Supper At Mountain View Inn

Last Tuesday, Election night, a party of our town's people to the number of 59 sat down to a fine turkey supper at the Mountain View Hotel where Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pratt cordially received their guests and proved to be real hospitable hosts. The popularity of this hospice under the new management is proving itself and finding favor with the traveling public. The evening was spent in cards and in a social manner listening to the election returns on the radio.

Among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Irish, Mrs. Miles Morgan, Mrs. Joseph Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry James, Beryl and Winthrop James, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Millard, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stearns, Mrs. C. H. Webster, Miss Marion Webster, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Montague, Miss Evelyn Lawley, Mrs. Mary Bardwell, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. State, F. K. Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Williams, Dean Williams, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Church, Mr. and Mrs. George Kidder, Mrs. Buck, Leon Dunnell, Mr. and Mrs. George Dunnell, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Tyler, and friends, Mrs. N. P. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Glutney, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Merrifield, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Streeter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan F. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morgan, C. E. Baxter, Mrs. M. C. Keet, Mr. and Mrs. George Carr, Joseph R. Colton.

### Given Surprise On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Montague were given a genuine surprise last Saturday evening upon the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary and a host of friends who completely filled the house came to extend their greetings and pass on their way. The reception was from eight to ten and Mr. and Mrs. Montague received in the large parlor of their home. Rev. Mr. Coe in behalf of their friends made a congratulatory address and presented them both a box of new silver coins. Refreshments were served in the dining room by Mrs. Allen H. Wright and Mrs. Clarence Steadler and a corps of efficient friends assisted. The gathering was a real surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Montague had been invited to dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Millard at their home but early in the evening were summoned home by a friend. Upon their arrival they found their guests who had gathered. All extended well wishes and the continuance of many years of a happy life.

### Northfield Girls' Club

The young ladies who gather at Green Pastures on Friday evenings have asked Mrs. Pitt to let them be known as the Girls Club of Northfield. The only conditions of membership is the age limit of 15 to (say) 20 years, and the consent of their parents. Good character is taken for granted. There is no membership fee. Last Friday evening was opening night for this year. There were 27 present. They played "Run, sheep, run" for two hours before the other parts of the social program and refreshments could be put on. This week the girls are asked to bring scissors and pictures (if they have any) with a view to making cloth picture books to send to children's hospitals the same as last year. Miss Mary Dalton is assisting Mrs. Pitt in this club.

### Western Union Moves

The Western Union Telegraph office has been moved from the room in the Bookstore building at East Northfield to the Northfield Hotel where it will be hereafter located permanently and messages will be delivered from there. Mr. Newhouse who was in charge here during the summer will remain for a few days to see that the apparatus is working properly.

### Mrs. Moody Broadcasts

Many friends of Mrs. William R. Moody are expressing their appreciation of her broadcast over W.F.E.A. on Sunday, October 30th when she spoke on the hymns which she had written and of the incidents which prompted their writing. Mrs. Moody will speak again soon of the hymns prepared in collaboration with her father the late Major Whittier.

### The Bargerons Appear Next Tuesday Auspices Am. Legion

There is only one night in view for Northfield and surrounding towns and that is next Tuesday, Nov. 15 at Town Hall. On that night the Musical Bargerons of Irving are to present one of their sparkling musical shows from 8 to 9.30 followed by dancing till 12. Their performance last year was the talk of the county and this year's show bids fair to be even a bigger success. Progressive always, this talented family has had many chances to travel but are going to wait until they can all step out together and then, just watch them. Since the news has spread around that they were coming back this year, they have received many requests from their friends for some of the beautiful dance numbers they put on in their Minstrel Show. With the kind permission of the management some of these requests will be granted in the order received. The entertainment however is to be limited to one and one half hours as nearly as possible so that there will be ample time for dancing. Under the auspices of the Haven H. Spencer Post 179, American Legion, the occasion promises to be a big success. Admissions are very attractive at 40c for adults and 20c for children.

### The Everready Club Starts Season's Program

The Everready 4-H Handicraft Club have started another season in Handicraft under the leadership of H. A. Johnson. The first meeting was held Nov. 2 and in our workshop. Officers were elected and new members were voted in. The membership is as follows: Robert Washer, President; Clarence Webber, Vice President; Walter Luciw, Secretary; Edward Luciw, Treasurer; Raymond Miller, Service Club Member. New members: Calvin Field, Robert Birdsall, James Callaghan, William Dalton. Our first work will be to make some bird houses for a welfare fund in Boston. Our regular meetings will be held every Tuesday afternoon between 3 and 5 welcome visitors. Our second meeting was held on November 8th and eight members were present. A short time was devoted to instruct the class how to use the different kinds of tools after which the work began. Robert Washer is the News Reporter of the Everready Club.

### Talks On Hospital At The Homestead

Miss Celia Brian of the Brattleboro Memorial Hospital and Dr. George R. Anderson of Brattleboro are to speak on "The Hospital in Modern Life" at the Homestead, the home of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Moody on Saturday evening, November 19th. The meeting is called at eight o'clock and the talks are to be of an educational nature and not a solicitation of funds. There will be an informal discussion. Refreshments will be served after the talk. Mrs. W. R. Moody will preside. Those who have been patients at the Brattleboro Memorial hospital and all interested in questions of medicine and public health are invited to attend. This meeting, originally called for Nov. 12th has had to be postponed to Saturday, Nov. 19th owing to the inability of speakers to arrange dates.

### Local Insurance Man Presents Students Prizes

During Fire Prevention Week in Northfield one of the largest Fire Insurance Companies offered a gold medal a prize to the student in the High School that would present the best essay on Fire Prevention in the Home, English composition and subject matter were the points to be judged. Out of a large number of essays submitted the judges awarded the first prize, \$5 in gold to Miss Dorothy Stone and the next best, the gold medal to Miss Agnes Plotczyk. Mr. S. E. Walker, the representative of the Insurance Company presented the prizes at the High School on Tuesday morning.

### Biological Talk In Seminary Course

The next number of the Seminary Lecture Course will be given on Saturday evening, November 19th. It will be open to the public and will be held in the auditorium instead of in Silverthorne hall. It is planned to arrange for the attendance of students from neighboring schools. The lecture will be delivered by Dr. George Rommert, who will talk on biological subjects and will illustrate his lecture with the use of a micro-projector by which the movement and behavior of microscopic living creatures may be seen enlarged upon the screen.

### Churches Invited

An invitation has been extended to the Congregational churches of Franklin County and those belonging to the Franklin County Association of Churches and Ministers to join with the Trinitarian Church in the series of evangelistic meetings now being conducted by the Rev. and Mrs. Milton S. Rees. Already many guests from out of town have attended and larger delegations are regularly expected.

### Interest Grows At Evangelistic Meetings Of Local Church

Election Night was the biggest surprise of the Rees meetings at the Trinitarian Church thus far. The audience numbered about 300, that is, it half-filled the floor. A goodly number came up from No. 3 district. Bernardston also sent a large delegation, among whom was Mrs. Billings, who rendered Sankey's "Ninety and Nine" with great expression and power. Among out-of-town pastors who were present that evening were Rev. E. F. Blackmer of Montague Congregational Church, Rev. Mrs. Makepeace of Turners Falls M. E. Church, Rev. H. B. Jamieson of Turners Falls Baptist Church, Rev. A. L. Wendland of Westfield Congregational Church, Dr. Elliott Brown of Holyoke. This list is an index of the interest in the meetings on the part of nearby evangelists.

Dr. Rees promised on Monday evening to have a short Election Night service. After closing the meeting the six or seven prayer groups that have been organized among the church people met and planned for further activity.

The Bible Readings on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons at 3 have been well attended. Wednesday evening was Greenfield Night. The Second and the Robbins Congregational churches were represented by a large number of friends.

The women's meeting on Thursday afternoon drew a crowd. Mrs. Given, Mrs. Pitt and other ladies looked after small children in one of the parlors while their mothers attended the service. Last night the Friendly Bible Class of young women attended in a body.

Today, (Friday) at 3 o'clock Dr. and Mrs. Rees have invited the young people of both sexes to meet them in a special service of their own. Mrs. Rees organized a junior choir last Sunday afternoon, when the first enrollment was 27. They sang a piece at the Sunday evening service.

Dr. and Mrs. Rees will observe tomorrow (Saturday) as their day of rest. They are lodging at the Northfield during their stay among us.

Miss Dorothy Lawrence and Mrs. A. M. Solandt have assisted at the piano this week. Music has been featured at every gathering under the direction of Mrs. Rees. The services were marked by deep spiritual earnestness from the start. Dr. Rees has a quiet, well modulated voice. His large experience in pastoral and evangelistic work has given him a fund of flesh-and-blood cases and opposite anecdotes to illustrate his sermon points. He makes large use of the Bible, reciting (not reading) the Scripture lessons, and basing all his teaching and exhortation upon the Word of God, which lives under his reverent and scholarly use of it. He has the faculty of speaking to the heart and conscience of his hearers as well as to their common sense and intellect.

There will be no rehearsals of the Sunday morning choir during the progress of the Rees meetings. Next Sunday morning Dr. Rees' sermon subject will be "Alone with God," and at 7.30 p.m. "It Is Finished." At 3 p.m., a mass meeting for men has been called. The Northfield Brotherhood is urging all its members to attend in a body, and invitations have also been sent to men's clubs and brotherhoods throughout the vicinity. A male chorus and a male quartet will be features of this gathering. Dr. Rees' subject will be, "Mind Your Own Business." Tea and coffee will be served in the vestry to all who bring their own basket, supper and wait over for the evening meeting.

Next Monday the Sunday school council will turn their usual monthly meeting into the Rees service. This will also be Christian Endeavor Night, with delegations from neighboring C. E. societies.

Tuesday next the Monthly Bible Conference people plan to hold an all-day conference in conjunction with the campaign. There will be morning, afternoon and evening sessions, with box luncheons and suppers, for which the church will serve tea and coffee as usual.

Friday of next week will mark Sunday School Night, when teachers and officers and scholars from nearby points will be present. This is usually an overflowing service in Dr. Rees' campaign.

One who has had much to do with evangelistic campaigns says he never knew one in which the spiritual power and the response of the people were more evident from the start than this. Mr. Carne and the active leaders in the Trinitarian Church are greatly encouraged, and look for bigger things before the meetings end. Already several persons, young and older, have expressed a desire to unite with the church.

### Harmony Lodge Holds Annual Meeting Elects Its Officers

Harmony Lodge of Masons held its annual meeting at Masonic Temple on Parker Street, Wednesday evening with a good attendance. The reports for the year were submitted and the following officers were elected: Wor. Master, Walter Hyde; Senior Warden, Ralph Forsaith; Junior Warden, Martin E. Vorce; Secretary, Charles C. Stearns; Treasurer, Leon R. Alexander.

### The Town Meeting Acts On Transfers

Very few citizens attended the town meeting at two o'clock last Tuesday (election day). Mrs. Haskell the Town Clerk read the warrant and Mr. S. E. Walker was chosen moderator. The vote was unanimous on the articles which provided for the transfer of funds as mentioned in our last issue. The meeting voted on certain matters of accounting. A vote taken at a previous meeting transferring sums from the school department and the library to the Welfare department being rescinded as officials had found the transfer by vote of the town unnecessary. A vote was passed to transfer the sum of \$1,000 from the surplus to the reserve fund so that it might be available for use in various departments.

### Our Congressman Is Re-elected

By a majority of over 12,000 votes Congressman Allen T. Treadway of the First District, (Republican) nominee, is returned to Congress. Northfield gave him a fine endorsement and The Herald extends congratulations. In regard to the situation Mr. Treadway makes this statement:

"Returns indicate that I have survived the Democratic cyclone with what I believe to be the largest majority I have ever received as representative of the 1st Congressional District. This can be regarded only as a personal endorsement of my services and it will inspire me to still greater efforts in behalf of my constituents. I sincerely thank my friends and supporters for their enthusiastic assistance. While naturally disappointed with the national results all citizens will co-operate for the best interests of the Government."

### Will Announce A 1933 Xmas Club

The Northfield National Bank will announce a new 1933 Christmas Club next month. These Christmas Clubs have become a great building force in American life and over two hundred millions of dollars were accumulated and paid to members in this way. It is one of the most practical ways of saving money each year and having it available at Christmas time. 35 cents a week amounts to \$12.50; 50 cents a week amounts to \$25; and \$1 a week for 50 weeks means \$50.00. The plan of systematic saving is to be commended. Plan to start a Christmas Club membership next month and call at the bank for an interview with the officials for particulars.

### Auction Of Finn Properties

On Saturday at 1.30 p.m., there will be held a public auction of real estate and personal property at the residence of the late John A. Finn in West Northfield. Mr. Joseph W. Field has the sale in charge and believes some attractive opportunities will be offered.

### "Thanksgiving" Proclaimed

Thursday, November 24th has been proclaimed as Thanksgiving Day by President Herbert Hoover and in commemoration of the Washington bi-centennial, he repeated the proclamation the first president issued proclaiming November 26, 1789, as Thanksgiving day.



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### 3,000,000 FAMILIES AIDED BY RED CROSS

#### Distress in All Areas Met by Giving Food, Clothing and Other Help.

More than 3,000,000 families throughout the nation were given relief of various types by the American Red Cross in the past winter to aid them in their distress caused by unemployment, disaster or other misfortune.

A major relief task, due to unemployment and other unusual conditions in the blumious multiplicity of twenty states, was met by the Red Cross chapters alone, or participating with other agencies in these 143 counties, the Red Cross aided 90,000 families through giving groceries, school lunches, clothing, flour and other necessities to combat privation.

Flour, milled from government wheat turned over to the Red Cross by Congress, was given to 15,000 persons in the period from March 8 to June 30, the close of the fiscal year. Flour will continue to be given through the winter of 1932-33, and Red Cross chapters also will give cotton clothing made from government cotton turned over to the Red Cross for distribution.

"The Red Cross faces the busiest winter since the days of the World War," Chairman John Barton Payne said. "It is organized in virtually every one of the 3,072 counties in the United States, and will co-operate with all agencies to meet distress wherever found. The flour has proved of great benefit, and the cotton clothing will be given wide distribution."

While carrying on nationwide these unemployment and other relief measures, the Red Cross also was engaged in its regular peacetime activities in public health nursing, service to ex-service men and their families, teaching home hygiene, life saving and first aid. The Junior Red Cross, composed of almost 7,000,000 school children also rallied to the support of the society's relief efforts, and the children aided others of their age in practical ways, formed sewing and food canning classes, and were of great assistance in chapter relief work.

While the wheat and cotton were given by the U. S. Government, no money was provided to pay for the necessary work entailed. The Red Cross will meet this expense of almost \$500,000 from its treasury. Citizens can aid by joining as members of the local Red Cross chapter during the roll call from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day.

### Red Cross to Enlist Great Army of Members to Fight Distress

Last year 4,004,459 men and women joined the American Red Cross as members during the annual roll call, Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day. A peacetime army even greater than this will be needed in 1932-33 to support and carry on the nationwide relief work of the Red Cross. There are 3,639 Red Cross Chapters and they have 10,000 branches.

### Huge Task of Nurses

Red Cross public health nurses, who work in hundreds of communities, are meeting the greatest demands in history for their services, due to the depression. Visits in maternity cases, protecting the health of infants and children, and aiding mothers in distress due to unemployment of the bread-winners have taken them into thousands of homes. The nurses made 1,357,000 visits to or on behalf of individuals, and inspected 49,000 school children. More than 58,000 adults were instructed in home hygiene and care of the sick.

### Clothes for the Needy

Women volunteers sewing for the needy under direction of the Red Cross produced 296,000 garments last year, and will produce millions of garments in the winter of 1932-33. These will be from the millions of yards of cotton cloth distributed by the national Red Cross from the 600,000 bales of cotton turned over to the organization by Congress. Cloth was sent to all chapters requesting it, and later it was proposed to send some simple ready-made garments, including trousers, overalls, undersweaters, stockings and socks.

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### Roosevelt Elected Democratic Landslide

The Press ere this has announced the result of the election. Franklin D. Roosevelt has been chosen as our next President to succeed Herbert Hoover whose name will ever be coupled with those of our greatest Presidents because of the great service he has given our people and the nation. The Democratic State ticket with Governor Joseph R. Ely leading has been elected. Northfield and the rest of Franklin County maintained its reputation as the Republican stronghold of the state. While the lead of the Republican candidates was reduced somewhat over the vote at the 1928 election, not a Democrat was able to out-poll a Republican, despite the fact that the rest of the state was swept by the landslide for the Democrats.

President Hoover carried the county by the margin of 6,797 votes this year while his lead over Smith in 1928 was 8,491. The vote this year was Hoover 13,044 with 6,247 for Roosevelt. The Hoover total in 1928 was 14,333 while Smith had 5,842 votes.

Gov. Ely also was able to reduce William S. Youngman's lead to 5,155 votes, whereas he was beaten by Gov. Frank G. Allen, two years ago by a total of 5,412. Gaspar G. Bacon, Republican candidate for lieutenant governor, was 6,894 ahead of John E. Swift, Democratic candidate. All the rest of the Republican candidates for major state offices maintained substantial majorities.

Two of the referenda on the ballot met with the strong approval of the voters but the one calling for special examiners for chiropractic was defeated 5354 votes being in favor and 6306 against the measure. The country approved of the proposed act to allow pre-primary state conventions of political parties, 5,435 favoring and 2,948 opposing. There were 7,995 yes votes on the measure providing for a federal constitutional amendment while 2,135 votes were cast against the project.



Gaspar G. Bacon Elected Lieutenant Governor

### County Hospital Workers Gather

Seventeen towns in Franklin County were represented at the annual luncheon given at the Mansion house Monday afternoon by the board of organized work of the Franklin County hospital to the County town chairmen. Arrangements were made under the direction of Mrs. R. B. Hubbard, chairman of the county towns committee, who reported that every town in the county is now organized in work for the hospital.

The report for the past year listed the following contributions from the towns, \$289.06; 2,757 quarts of fruits and vegetables, 15 bushels of potatoes, 147 large bushels of jelly and a miscellaneous contribution of fresh vegetables.

President F. Raymond Andrews of the board of hospital trustees explained the co-operation essential in all of the county towns. He was heard with much interest by both the county and local representatives. Mrs. Louie T. Merriam of Greenfield, chairman of the board of organized work, presided.

Among those present were Gill: Mrs. Fred Chapin; Bernardston: Mrs. Henry Crowell; Mount Hermon: Mrs. Rena Mayberry; Northfield: Mrs. W. G. Webber.

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### Blind Readers Get Books

Books in braille for reading by the blind are made by women under Red Cross direction. Last year 2,813 such books were produced in single copy, and 3,538 in double copies. Fiction, biography, history, economics and school books were among those printed in braille. The Red Cross gives them to libraries for a free distribution to blind readers.

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## EDITORIAL

It is literally amazing how many financial and industrial organizations are regarding the tax problem as the most important of all our difficulties at this time. We have reached a point in our affairs where the cost of government is becoming an impassable barrier in the way of the investment of capital, the development of industry, the creation of estates, and the employment of labor. Money that once flowed into productive enterprise, which sorely needs new funds now, is either hoarded or invested in tax-free government bonds. Millions of American investors have found a real and personal meaning in the old saying that "the power to tax is the power to destroy."

We have seen what expanded governmental activities with their resulting influence on the tax bill have done in England, Germany, Australia and lesser powers. The dose, which was created to aid the unemployed and the distressed, has had precisely the opposite effect—it has created more unemployment and more distress by stifling industry. So with the rest of those governmental panaceas which have taken billions from the pockets of the taxpayers of the world. Whether America's tomorrow will be bright or clouded depends on what action we take in handling the tax problem now.

When the average citizen leaves his home in the morning, he doesn't worry about the chance of the lives of his family or his property being destroyed by fire—even though he fully realizes that there is always a chance of a fire breaking out. He has every faith in the efficiency and dependability of his local fire department.

The local fire department, entrusted as it is with this gigantic responsibility, is worth watching, worth adopting as a community hobby. It consists of men and machines—and the difference between a poor department and a first-class one is simply a matter of differences in those men and machines. Is the personnel well trained, well paid, scientifically directed—is the apparatus of a standard make and is it kept in A-1 condition? Those are the vital questions in the case of a fire department. So far as we can, let's make it our business to answer them.

## Obituary

JANET B. ROBERTS

Miss Janet B. Roberts, 70, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elmer Richards on Main street, after several months' illness. She was born in Lebanon, N. Y., June 23, 1872 and was the daughter of Isaac V. Roberts and Anna Marie Mason. She was a nurse by profession and lived for many years at Pittsfield, Pa. Two sisters, Miss Lillian N. Roberts of Pittsfield, Mass., and Mrs. E. J. Richards of Northfield, Mass.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. W. Stanley Carne, pastor of the Congregational church. Solos were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Philip Porter. Burial was in Northfield Cemetery.

A Vivid Remembrance  
My First Operation

A burning sensation in my system convinced me that I must prepare for an ordeal which would be accompanied by fear and embarrassment. Never before had I been subjected to such exposure of my anatomy, and the thought was disconcerting. A business like personality greeted me at the hospital then commanded me to bed. Fear possessed me and I immediately began to look around to see where the lavatory might be.

As I was being marched down the long corridor, several foreign looking specimens reclined in wheel-chairs along the way. They had been placed there to get the morning sun. One old lady I shall never forget. She might possibly have weighed seventeen pounds in her stocking feet. I never saw her again, neither did I make any inquiries. Something within me caused me to draw my own conclusions.

Just outside my door there stood an empty wheel-chair which looked as though it had been placed there for my special benefit. I thought of the old lady once more. I could not picture myself as being reduced to such a wisp of humanity as she was, nevertheless, there stood the chair.

The nurse was very kind to me and it was by her cheerfulness that my first cold perspiration disap-

peared. But that didn't last long. It was time for my wife to go. With a limp hand and arm I bid her a seemingly last goodbye. Then I pulled the bed covers over my face and bawled like a whipped school boy.

In preparation for the surgeon I was filled with water to bursting point. Repetition after repetition convinced me I was nothing more than a human flush bowl. But that wasn't all.

"I want your history," said an authority. What does that include? I wondered. This was no time even for little lies, but what a confession if she should go into every detail.

I felt I had answered a thousand questions. With trembling fingers I signed my name to various papers, one of which I inferred would relieve the surgeon and the Hospital of all responsibility. My clothing was now locked away and I was in bed with nothing but a night-gown. Even that was not a night-gown. I should liken it to an apron with not too many strings. Realizing the situation in which I was placed, I began to offer silent prayer.

When my eyes were closed I saw my local undertaker; I saw my bereaved family; I saw consoling friends with bunches of lilacs in their arms; I fear I saw the devil peeping through the church-yard fence.

When my eyes were opened I saw nurses, nurses, nurses. Each one with a weapon in her hand and whispering something about me. What are they saying? I wondered. Then I thought I heard—it was this. If you don't get him, I will.

At this moment a very large man completely filled the doorway. In a deep bass voice, he asked, "Is this Mr. Porter?" My heart fluttered and sank. Where my deep baritone voice had gone I don't know. When I answered him my thin squeaky voice said "It is." He grasped my hand, spoke very kindly to me and almost convinced me that all would be well. It was the surgeon who was speaking and I felt better. I did want, however, to ask him if the operation might prove fatal, but the roof of my mouth became parched, my tongue was dry, and before I could speak he was gone.

Then the ghost appeared. Shrouded in white with nothing visible except two small eyes and the tip of her thin nose.

"Turn on your side," she mumbled. I shuddered and turned my face from her. A sensation followed which led me to believe she was delivering a decisive blow. I could not speak, I could not even whisper, but this went through my mind:

"If I have wounded any soul today, If I have caused one foot to go astray, If I have walked in my own selfish way,

Dear Lord, Forgive The end came peacefully, but in the interim I had been whisked away, inspected, dissected, and manipulated to such a degree that I was amazed at the accomplishment.

After all the worry, I am still here. Those nurses whom so much I feared were my closest friends. I can still hear them say, "If there is anything I can do for you just put on the light." Then there was the cheerful "good-night."

What more could one wish for! In due time the nurse brought in my Kimona and socks. This gave me a feeling I was going to pull through. Then came the wheel-chair. My clothing finally appeared and I in the space of ten days I was fully clothed except for my shoes. One fine day my shoes, my hat, and my overcoat was brought to me and I was discharged.

I am now convinced that the institution with its splendid staff of officers, its modern facilities, its courteous and untiring nurses, is a blessing to mankind. One cannot express in words what a pleasure and comfort there is in coming in contact with and being a guest of such a wonderful Hospital. Such courtesy and kind attention should command the deepest appreciation and the best of recommendation from all who share its benefits.

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## Northfield Farms

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willis of Quincy were in town Monday to arrange for the burial of his father, Arthur Willis, late of Framingham whose body was cremated.

The students of Number 3 school gave an entertainment and Halloween party at the school house on last Thursday afternoon. Parents and friends attended. Miss Harriet Kelley of Greenfield assisted in the entertainment, which was in charge of the teacher, Miss Juliana Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne of Orange are with Oreo Adams. Mr. Adams is much better and able to be out.

Mrs. Murray Hammond visited her mother, Mrs. F. A. Martin Monday in Greenfield.

Miss Parker and the "Campfire Girls" spent their time making beads and soap figures Monday evening at their meeting.

Mr. Donald Luey and daughter Marcia of Holden spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Luey.

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## Poet's Corner

## UNCLE SI ON THE ELECTION

Say, Mandy, I'm sure glad 'tis thru.  
That president election.  
T'was mighty hard ter hear sich talk  
Then make the right selection.  
You know down ter Sim Allen's store  
There's allus sich a gabbin',  
T'would near split yer ear drums out,  
Sich contry wise conflagrin'.

Josh, he is sich a Democrat,  
He'd rave and rant and holler,  
Jed, he's Republican, yer know,  
And fightin' allus follers.  
Josh sez a Republican  
Had nigh on ruined the nation.  
Jed sez elect a Democrat,  
And we'd have slimmer rations.

Then Sim turns on the radio,  
To hear them, speaker fellers  
Tell what they'd do if they was in,  
They's sartin purty tellers!  
One sez all folks would be dead drunk  
Unless we had prohibition.  
Another sez he was all wrong,  
It was a bad condition.

He sez we oughter have free trade,  
Sim sez the tariffs better,  
That them air foreigners should pay,  
They was most terrible debtors.  
I'd listen till my head would bust  
The talk was that confusin'.  
Of course I wanted to vote right,  
But it was sure amusin'.

Now 'tis all over fer four years,  
I reckon 'tis relievin'.  
I did my duty as I could,  
But times is right deceivin'.  
The people is the government,  
They got ter stay behavin'.  
Then no matter who is President  
The flag will keep on wavin'!

Doris Hildreth Wheeler  
Winchester, N. H.

## WHEN THE BIRDS GO NORTH AGAIN

Oh, every year hath its Winter,  
And every year hath its rain—  
But a day is always coming  
When the birds go north again.  
When the new leaves swell in the forest,  
And grass springs green on the plain,  
And the alder's veins turn crimson,  
And the birds go north again.

Oh, every heart hath its sorrow,  
And every heart hath its pain—  
But a day is always coming  
When the birds go north again.

'Tis the sweetest thing to remember,  
If courage is on the wane—  
When the cold, dark days are over,  
Why, the birds go north again.

Ella Higginson

## THE SIMPLE MAN

Little I know of months and years,  
Little of ideo and of Kalends know;  
I measure my life by its smiles and tears,  
Its joys that come and the greifs that go!

It is Summer to me when my heart  
Is glad  
Whatever the calendar may say;  
And Winter is on me white and sad  
And cold, when my joy is gone a-way.

Scant is my astronomis lore,  
Meager my share in the mystery;  
And Luna's oceans and Saturn's share  
Mean but little to men like me.

But I know when Happiness is my guest,  
When care and worriment cease to sting;  
And I know when the bird within my breast,  
Sings like a bird in the hour of Spring.

Small is my share in the storied past,  
Little I know of scrolls and books;  
Nothing I know of the Future vast,  
But much I owe to clouds and brooks!

Gods and heroes pass in a day;  
Empires mighty endure a span;  
And God, in the old ancestral way  
Reveals himself to the simple man!

Arthur Goodenough  
West Brattleboro, Vt.

## Probate Court

Judge Francis Nims Thompson at an adjourned session of probate court held at Orange:

Licenses granted for sale of real estate of—Sarah Jane MacKenzie, late of New York in the State of New York and of Northfield.  
In the following cases, bonds have been approved and letters of appointment issued, since the last session:

Zophar Mills late of Brooklyn, N. Y. Gordon W. Gordon of Springfield, administrator with the will annexed; Margaret Callaghan late of Northfield, Mary A. Callaghan of Northfield, Admr.

## Real Estate Transfers

The following transfers are recorded in Franklin County Registry of Deeds:

DEEDS  
Bernardston—Chaffee, Birney T et al—Henry F. Decker, on rd to Greenfield.  
Northfield—Field Annie S.—Geo. Arthur Bronson et al, on Main st.  
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Woman's Relief Corps  
Met At Orange

The annual meeting of the Franklin County Woman's Relief Corps and Grand Army was held in Memorial hall at Orange on Thursday of last week with a good attendance of members from all parts of the county.

Five out of the seven corps in the district were represented and there were four guests from Essex county, three from Worcester county and four from the Eastern Star home in Orange, including Sarah L. Willard who has been a relief corps member for 45 years and is past department chaplain of the state of Rhode Island. Other honored guests were Mrs. Ida Martin of Boston, department president; Mrs. Grace Manning of Templeton, department senior vice-president; and Mrs. Anna Howard of Greenfield, department counselor. The only members of the Grand Army who were present were George Moranville, who is 90 years old and Frank Spear, both members of Gen. Sedgwick post of Orange. At noon, dinner was served under the direction of the executive committee, Mrs. Minnie Cole, chairman.

At the afternoon session Rev. Stephen H. Talbot, pastor of the local Baptist church and an active member of the Sons of Union Veterans, gave an excellent address. Fine reports were also given by representatives of the various corps in the district. The following officers were then installed by Mrs. Howard, assisted by Mrs. Grace Manning as installing conductor. The installation service which was prepared by Mrs. Fred Emery of the Orange corps, was used. Following are the new officers:

President, Mrs. Ella Hatstat of Orange; senior vice-president, Mrs. Augustine Mitchell of Shelburne Falls; junior vice-president, Mrs. Sophronia Plumley of Greenfield; chaplain, Mrs. Martha Stebbins of Millers Falls; conductor, Mrs. Elsie Pierce of Millers Falls; guard, Mrs. Mary Cookson of Mrs. Amy Streeter of Colrain; as Greenfield; assistant conductor, assistant guard, Mrs. Lena Brown of Orange, patriotic instructor, Mrs. Lulu Dennison of Colrain and musician, Mrs. Harriet Church of Greenfield.



Allen T. Treadway

Re-elected to Congress  
First (Mass.) District

Physicians In Court  
Northfield Man Involved

A civil case involving six Franklin county physicians, four of them from Greenfield, and in which Lawrence Gale, Bernardston collector, sought to recover from Joseph Cembalisky of Northfield on account of Dr. A. H. Ellis a bill for \$17 plus interest of \$4.68, was tried before Judge Philip H. Ball in district court last week.

There were four witnesses, Dr. Ellis, Dr. Allen Wright of Northfield, Cembalisky and the latter's son. At conclusion of the trial Judge Ball asked attorneys in the case to submit briefs. Gale was represented by Atty. Maurice J. Levy of Greenfield, and Cembalisky by Atty. Rufus Cook of Northampton.

The case arose from professional services rendered the defendant by Dr. Ellis after he had been struck and injured by an automobile on the Bernardston-Northfield road during the flood of November 1927. The late Dr. Mattison of Bernardston was present and had Cembalisky taken to his home near by. There he was visited by Dr. Wright of Northfield, who testified he assumed the call to which he responded had come from some member of the Cembalisky family.

Cembalisky was later removed to the Franklin County hospital, where Dr. Wright again saw him and asked permission of him to assign the case to Dr. Ellis. Dr. Wright testified Cembalisky gave him permission and that the family concurred.

The case was then taken over by Dr. Ellis, who through the plaintiff, Gale, is suing to collect for one consultation fee and four visits to the hospital here.

About nine days later Cembalisky was committed to the state hospital at Northampton, the necessary papers being signed by Dr. H. N. Howland and the late Dr. Thomas T. Fyfe of this town. In court Cembalisky testified he could remember nothing in his life prior to the day he was committed to the Northampton institution. He therefore did not remember the accident, his employment of Dr. Ellis, or his stay at the Franklin County hospital.

Cembalisky's son testified that while his father was at the hospital he asked to be attended by Dr. H. G. Stetson. The son did not remember any member of his family giving permission for assignment of the case to Dr. Ellis, he said.

Rural Mail Routes  
In New England

Under a new organization program of so-called Star mail routes, the postoffice department is calling for proposals to carry the mails from July 1, 1933, to June 30, 1937 in the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia as specified in pamphlet advertisements. A list of routes, forms of proposals and bonds, and all necessary information will be furnished upon application to the local postmaster or to the second assistant postmaster general at Washington, D. C. These proposals will be received at the office of the second assistant postmaster general up to 4.30 p.m. January 17, 1933.

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### Executor's Sale OF Real Estate AND Personal Property

By virtue of the power contained in the last will and testament of John Andrew Finn, late of Northfield, Franklin County, Massachusetts, which will was proved and allowed in the Probate Court for said County, July 19, 1932, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described as the "Home Lot" of the said John Andrew Finn, on

SATURDAY, the TWELFTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1932

at one-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate and all the personal property belonging to the said John Andrew Finn at the time of his death:

The real estate to be sold is in Northfield, on the South Vernon Road, and consists of all the right title, and interest which the said deceased had at the time of his death in and to the following:

The Home Lot, so-called, consisting of an acre of land, more or less, with dwelling house, barn, shed, and hen house, and situated on the easterly side of the road from Northfield to South Vernon, and is the same that was conveyed to the deceased by Frank Leslie Tyler by his deed dated Oct. 22, 1900, recorded in Franklin Registry of Deeds in Book 474, Page 395, together with the right of drainage to the east of the said home lot as granted by said Tyler to the deceased, December 6, 1900, by deed recorded as aforesaid in Book 515, Page 244.

The Spring Lot, so-called, containing about fifty square rods more or less, lying westerly from the highway leading from Northfield to Vernon and adjoining the east side of the Vermont & Massachusetts Railroad location, and being the same conveyed to the said John A. Finn by Elinora I. Thayer by her deed dated December 13, 1900, recorded as aforesaid in Book 483, Page 194.

The personal property consists of one and one-half story house, small barn and woodshed standing on land leased from the Boston & Maine Railroad Company in Vernon, Vermont, near and easterly of East Northfield Railroad station; also all household furniture, miscellaneous tools, stove wood, anthracite coal, and small quantity of lumber.

The buildings on the Home Lot are in excellent repair and the house is equipped with modern plumbing, bathroom, running hot and cold water, electric lights, etc.

The terms of the sale are as follows:

The purchaser of any personal property will be required to pay cash at the time and place of sale. The purchaser of real estate will be required to deposit Two Hundred (\$200.00) dollars in cash at the time and place of sale, and to pay the balance of the purchase price in cash within ten days thereafter, at the office of Hayes and Herr, Attorneys, 3 Bank Row, Greenfield, Massachusetts, at which time the deed will be delivered to the purchaser. Other terms will be made known at the time and place of said sale.

Josephine F. Reed,  
Executrix of the will of  
John Andrew Finn  
Hayes and Herr, Attorneys,  
3 Bank Row,  
Greenfield, Mass.  
November 3, 1932.

### Property Is Left For Greenfield "Y"

Greenfield may have a Young Men's Christian Association and it will be good news to many young men and boys not only of Greenfield but of the county as well who for years have realized the need of such an institution.

According to the terms of the will of Miss Mary N. Washburn, who died October 13, field in probate court the Washburn home at 451 East Main street will become the property of the executive committee of the Young Men's Christian Association of Massachusetts and Rhode Island for the establishment of a branch in Greenfield. This property, however, is left for the life use of her sister, Clara W. Deane.

### Legion Auxiliary District Council Meets

The district council of the Hampshire - Franklin - American Legion Auxiliaries met at Amherst last week.

Among the guests of honor were: State President, Miss Gertrude McLaughlin of Boston, State Secretary, Miss Anna Mullane of Boston and the president of the Hampden county district, Mrs. Estelle of Springfield. Mrs. Elizabeth Irwin, president of the local auxiliary, greeted the guests.

It was voted at the meeting in favor of holding the next annual state convention in June, 1933, at Northampton. Refreshments were served following the meeting under the direction of Mrs. Verna Luddy and the guests were presented floral favors. The next meeting of the district council will be held in Shelburne Falls, January 5. Mrs. Marguerite Grey, district president presided.

### Solace For The Smoker

It has been said of the Dutch that they "smoke like a chimney." Illustrative of their love of the serene weed is the will of old Heer van Klass of Rotterdam. He died at ninety-eight years with his pipe in his mouth, having smoked nearly five ounces of tobacco a day. Every smoker who went to his funeral received ten pounds of tobacco and two pipes, and a package of tobacco is sent each year on his anniversary to the poor who attended. All the mourners smoked and shook out the ashes of their pipes in the coffin which was lined with the wood of his old Havana cigar boxes and matches, for, as he added, "One never knows what may happen."

### Gill

Joseph Bidwell was taken to the Franklin county hospital Sunday.

Services are held every Sunday in the Gill Congregational church 10.45. Sunday school at 12. Every one welcome.

The West school attained the highest percentage of attendance of the schools of Gill with a record of 98 percent for the period of eight weeks closing Oct. 28.

The Bible Study class was held at Robert Ware's Monday evening. Rev. Mr. George of Barnardston was guest speaker. Next Bible class will be held at Mrs. Charles Sumner's.

The Morgan ferry house at Gill burned at midnight Monday night of last week. The house had been unoccupied since last winter when Levi Thornton who occupied it was obliged to go to a hospital. It is probable that the fire was set as

### Savings Bank Dividends \$20,000,000 In October

Complete figures for dividends paid by Massachusetts mutual savings banks in October show that payments for the month amounted to over \$20,000,000.00. Despite unemployment and other causes for withdrawal, it is said that a considerable amount of the money has been added to deposits. This is taken to mean that a numerous group of the 3,000,000 depositors in the state's savings banks still have a current surplus.

The month's \$20,000,000 in dividends represents payments by only a part of the state's savings banks, as many of them pay in other months. For the year total dividends will exceed \$85,000,000, representing regular payments by every active mutual institution. The only influence of current day conditions upon the savings banks' dividend record has been a slight lowering of rates for the state as a whole.

A Hallowe'en prank. At a recent town meeting in Gill an article in the warrant for disposing of the property was voted down. At the same time it was voted not to close the ferry, although the need for it is past.

A Ladies' Aid society was organized at the meeting held in the library on Friday afternoon. The following officers were elected: Mrs. C. W. Sumner, president; Mrs. Walter Marble, vice-president; Mrs. Charles Gordon, secretary; Mrs. Field treasurer.

Mrs. Newton Hale has gone to Cambridge to live with her daughter, Mrs. Florine Thayer, for the winter. Her house will be occupied by her niece, Mrs. Potts and child, from Stamford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Houle and family who have occupied Mr. Ayer's house for over a year recently moved to Montague.

The Gill Parent-Teachers association served a chicken pie supper at the town hall last Monday evening. Mrs. D. C. Barron of Mt. Hermon was in charge. Following the supper there was an entertainment. A short business meeting of the association was held at the close of the program.

The librarian has acknowledged the following gifts: Portraits of New England birds, Furbes and Hooks; Contemporary American Sculpture; Winning the King's Cup, Belle; Hoover and his Times, Emerson; Honorable Mr. Tawmish Farnol; Wood-carver of 'Lympos, Waller; Martin Eden, London; Great American Band Wagon, Merz; The High Way, Mason; Drink Up Gentlemen, Morton; The Happy Warrior, Hutchinson; Joseph and his Brethren, Freeman; All Our Yesterdays, Tomlinson; Old Age—its cause and prevention, Bennett.

### Warwick

The Parent - Teachers' Association meet this week Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Howard Francis. It was a card party.

The library hours are now, Wednesday and Saturday, 2 until 6 p. m. The library has been well patronized during the year and the circulation constantly increased.

The interest aroused by the discovery of a buckthorn bush growing in a pasture in Orange discloses the fact that there is a similar bush growing on the Alexander farm in Warwick which is 16 feet high. It grows in moist soil and it is reported that there are others in the neighborhood. It is

### At Last! A Good Word For English Sparrow

The much-maligned English sparrow has at last had its day in court, with a friendly judge and jury. Says the magazine, Bird-Lore, official publication of the National Association of Audubon Societies:

"According to Dr. Thomas E. Wincoff, in charge of research for the Pennsylvania game commission, this generally unpopular bird has been found to be one of the few which are destroyers of the obnoxious Japanese beetle. Investigations of field men in the southeastern part of the state have shown that, in addition to the English sparrow, the ring-necked pheasant, the purple grackle, the starling, and robin all eat this greatly destructive beetle."

### Many Mothers Enjoy Talk About Children

Mrs. M. D. Birdsall opened her home on Tuesday afternoon of last week to a group of mothers, who gathered to hear Mrs. Marcus Purvis give the first of a series of four lectures on Child Guidance. Mrs. Purvis is attending the lecture course given in Greenfield by Mrs. Ruth Morley of the State Extension Service, and offering the material to those interested in the character building of their children, under the sponsorship of the Northfield Parent-Teacher Association.

A delightful tea and social hour following gave the large number of women present an opportunity to meet Mrs. Purvis, whose wide experience as a social worker in Chicago, and as a missionary in Brazil, helps to make her a most interesting speaker.

A cordial invitation is extended to all interested in children to again hear Mrs. Purvis at the next regular meeting of the P. T. A., in December.

said that an herb doctor who lived on Kelton hill over 100 years ago used quantities of the berries in his medicines. Plant authorities say that heretofore buckthorn has not been found growing wild in this state.

Mr. G. A. Witherell recently attended the installation of Principal Spear at Mount Hermon where he was years ago a student.

Services were resumed in the Federated Church Sunday, November 6th. Rev. and Mrs. Buckingham have returned from their vacation.

Miss Joyce Poole, Red Cross and school nurse, gave a talk in the church vestry on Tuesday afternoon on "Child Guidance." Warwick is fortunate in having a school nurse so interested in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pulcifer left Saturday for Annapolis for a week's stay with Dr. and Mrs. Earle Andrews, previous to sailing for Florida, where they will spend the winter at Fort Myers Beach.

Mrs. M. Grace Goldsberry is visiting in the home of her son in Lynn for a few weeks, previous to going to Crescent City, Fla., for the winter.

Plans are being made for the Washington bicentennial entertainment to be held Nov. 20. E. A. Lyman is chairman of the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seymour, who have been operating a lodging house in Washington, D. C., for the past two years, have returned to their home in Warwick village.

### Cross Country Race At Mount Hermon

In the four mile cross country race at Mount Hermon last week Wednesday, Arthur Oldershaw of Groton, ran a splendid race, breaking the course record of 20 minutes 34 1-5 seconds, by finishing in 20 minutes, 23 1-5 seconds.

Oldershaw trailed Woodland of Waterdown over the four miles until within fifty feet of the finish when Woodland was forced to stop and walk to the finish line because of stomach pains. This was a tough break for Woodland who two weeks ago won the two-mile run, breaking the record he had himself made last year. However, he was so far ahead of the field that he as well as Oldershaw, broke the former record which has stood since 1913 when Lewis Watson, son of Richard L. Watson of Mount Hermon, established it as a student here. Watson was a member of the 1920 Olympic team.

Edwin C. Belknap, Island Pond, Vt., ran a fast race, passing many leaders to come in third. Martin H. Lamson, Hudson, was fourth man in. There were 40 men in the race.

### High School Notes

The teachers of the high school and Center school attended a tea at the home of Mrs. M. W. Purvis last Thursday afternoon.

The Curtis Publishing Company's subscription contest ended in a victory for the bold-backs and a gain of \$22.00 in the treasury of the senior class. After school on Thursday the gold-backs also defeated the green-backs in a football game with a score of 24-6.

On Friday afternoon an election day program was presented by the class in Problems of Democracy under the direction of Miss Austin. The positions of the Republican and Democratic parties were outlined in some cases by volunteers from the opposite party. Barbara Cota '34, represented the Republicans and Robert De Veer '34, the Democrats. Edna Holloway '34, gave a brief account of Mrs. Hoover's life and Agnes Plotzyk '34, spoke about Mrs. Roosevelt. Then the school was given a chance to vote with the following results: Hoover 63; Roosevelt 37. While the ballots were being counted, Miss Lawley read two of Will Roger's recent articles about presidential campaign evils.

Professor Duley of the Seminary gave the school a very interesting talk on current events. Among the topics he chose were the Insull case, the Disarmament Conference and the meeting of the League of Nations which is coming soon.

Carolyn Jurkowski '35, is a patient at the Brattleboro Memorial Hospital. She was operated upon Monday morning for appendicitis.

Rose Ladzinski '34, who was struck by an automobile about a week ago is still confined to her bed although she is gaining slowly.

Many of the girls in the school are members of the girls' club which met at Mrs. Pitt's on Friday evening for the first meeting of the year.

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11.07 a.m. 6.25 p.m.  
Lv. East Northfield, South Bound  
6.15 a.m. 2.46 p.m. 9.05 p.m.  
9.50 a.m. 4.54 p.m.  
Sundays see Time Table

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Eastern Standard Time

Lv. Northfield, North bound  
10.09 a.m. 7.09 p.m.  
Lv. Northfield, South bound  
7.35 a.m. 3.57 p.m.  
Sundays see Time Table.

## Bernardston

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church will serve a Chicken Pie Supper, Friday, November 11 from six to eight o'clock at the Town Hall. There will be the usual sale and candy tables.

Mrs. Ray Dalrymple of Brattleboro, Vt., is spending a few days with her uncle Mr. George Thurber.

Miss Alice Donelson of Northampton has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. R. H. Cushman.

Miss Winifred Fach, who is a student at Cooley Dickinson Hospital spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fach.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dunnell spent Sunday in Readsboro, Vt.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Nellie R. Hale were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Thompson and daughter Jean, of Greenfield.

The fourth number on the Cushman Free Lecture Course will be given Friday, November 18. The lecture will consist of a comedy drama, "Tommy," presented by the Bergman players.

Mrs. Guy Bardwell and son, Raymond, visited relatives and friends in Townshend and Wardsboro, Vt., Sunday.

Miss Florence Field spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Field.

Miss Ruth Stoddard spent Sunday with Miss Mildred Clapp in Putney, Vt.

The first dance of the season, sponsored by the Bernardston Athletic Club, was held at the Town Hall, Saturday evening, November 5. The Senior Class of Powers Institute served refreshments of ice cream and cake during intermission. These dances will be held every Saturday night throughout the winter months.

Clarence Deane was pleasantly surprised at his home Monday night by about twenty friends celebrating his eighteenth birthday. He received many useful gifts. Refreshments were served after an evening of games and a general good time.

Mrs. Frank Parker of Holden, Mass., is spending the week with Mrs. Arthur Ward.

Mr. Bert Stoddard and daughter Ruth spent Saturday in Springfield, Mass.

Linus Corkins has returned from Fort Lauderdale, Florida where he has spent the past six months.

The Community Club met at the Town Hall Monday evening. There were several tables of cards and an interesting program. An interesting part of the program was the old time songs which were sung by Mrs. Ernest Schaufus. The accompaniment was played by Miss Elinor Barber. Both Mrs. Schaufus and Miss Barber were dressed in old fashioned costumes.

The Parent Teachers Association met Wednesday evening at the Town Hall. Their guests were the Gill and Four Corners Associations who furnished the program. The report of the State Convention was given by the secretary.

Tuesday evening the Philathea met in the Goodale Church vestry. The hostesses were Mrs. A. W. Ward and Mrs. Frank Oakes. The program committee consisted of Mrs. George Denison and Mrs. Walter Grover.

Green School pupils who had perfect attendance for September and October were: Marion Cairns, Gloria Sanderson, Allene Snow, Hugh Cairns, Arthur Kelley, Arah Snow, Edward Snow, Junior Wiemers and Frederick Wilson. Pupils having 100 per cent in spelling for the two months were: Gloria Sanderson, Edward Snow, Dorothy Cameron and Junior Wiemers.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Morris Cutting were saddened to hear of her death Saturday evening at Farren Hospital where she was operated on Friday. Mrs. Cutting was born in Camden, New Jersey, December 20, 1886, the daughter of Parker C. and Sarah E. Beaber Worth. She has lived here twenty-one years and has been a member of the Goodale United Church, the Philathea, Community Club. Besides her husband she left a daughter, Mrs. T. W. Brown of Portland, Oregon, and two sons, Parker L. Vickery of Fayetteville, North Carolina and Kenneth Howard of Bernardston.

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one sister, Mrs. M. H. Wickard, and a brother, Praker Worth of Springfield, Mass. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the Goodale Memorial Church, Rev. A. L. Truesdell officiating. The burial was in Lumberton, N. J.

The Annual Red Cross Roll will commence on Armistice Day. During the past year the American Red Cross has extended aid to millions of our fellow citizens, victims of disaster, drought, flood, tornado and unemployment. This year, faced with overwhelming demands, it is necessary that the Red Cross have greatly increased support. Franklin County is still on the national honor roll. Let us all do our part to keep it there.

The senior class of Powers Institute will present "The Burglary at Brown's," a comedy in three acts. Friday evening at eight o'clock in the Town Hall. The cast is as follows: Curtis Brown, a young city doctor, Orland Richardson; Constance Brown, the doctor's wife, Eunice Adams; Florette, the French maid, Lena Corkins; Mabel Brown, Curtis' domineering sister-in-law, Marion Martin; Oliver Brown, Mabel's hen-pecked husband, John Sutherland; Bob Dryzell, a young college fellow, Eddie Pratt; Kenneth Prince, Bob's chum in disguise as Mrs. Dryzell, Raymond Griswold; Elouise Mitchell, Mabel's sister who is a nurse, Ruth Stoddard; Policemen: Roger Bardwell, Howard Day, Chester Duprey.

The Powers Institute Honor Roll of studies from September through October arranged alphabetically by classes are as follows: Division I—90 per cent and above; Senior—Lena Corkins; Junior—Virginia Newton, Alice Schaufus, Edith Shedd; Sophomores—Marion Burrows; Freshmen—Doris Burrows, Genevieve Denison, Nathalie Fitzherbert, Frank Oakes. Division II—85 to 90 per cent; Senior—Eunice Adams, Howard Day, John Sutherland; Junior—Harold Coates, Clarence Deane, Barbara Fitzherbert, Norman Nelson; Sophomores—Norman Field, Beverly Foster, Doris French, Ruth Kratz, Alton Le Vitre, Lois Sumner, Bradford Truesdell; Freshmen—John Denison, Lella Grover. Division III—80 to 85 per cent; Seniors—Chester Duprey, Ellis Franklin, Raymond Griswold, Marion Martin, Orland Richardson, Ruth Stoddard, Arthur Truesdell; Juniors—Kenneth Fitzherbert, Howard Grover, Mary Lynde, Geraldine Melanson, Ethel Shedd, Eva Whitaker; Sophomores—John Alexander, Vernon Danforth, Harlan Day, Barbara Newton, Charles Phelps; Freshmen—Raymond Alexander, Gertrude Clark, Mary Gruszkowski, Dorothy Wilson.

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## South Vernon

The Women's Home & Foreign Missionary Society will hold a Christmas and Food sale at the parsonage on Wednesday December 7th afternoon and evening. All will be cordially invited.

The Humming Bird club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. R. E. Bruce for the election of officers last Saturday afternoon. President, Ruth Dunklee, Vice-President, Eleanor Bruce; Secretary, Miss Beatrice Lackey; Treasurer, Elva Martineau.

An Achievement program will be held by the 4H clubs of the town of Vernon at the town hall in Vernon next Friday evening, November 11th at 7.30 p.m. Every one is invited. There will be no admission.

Services at the South Vernon Church next Sunday will be at: 10.45 a.m., Sermon by the pastor; 12.15 p. m. Church School; 7 p. m., Song Service; 7.30 p.m., Sermon by the pastor; 7.30 p.m., Thursday Midweek service at the Vernon Home; 2.30 p.m., Wednesday the Women's Home & Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the parsonage; 7.30 p.m., Wednesday, Services at the Vernon chapel.

Among those who went to Vernon Tuesday to vote on the Presidential Election were: "Grandma" Dockham, of the Vernon Home who cast her vote for President Hoover at the age of 84 years.

Rev. and Mrs. B. D. Tibbitt were here last week for a brief visit with Mrs. Tibbitt's parents, Rev. and Mrs. George A. Gray. They returned to their home in Loudon Ridge, N. H., after a short business trip to Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Allen and son Robert, went to Feeding Hills, Mass., Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Hattie Morse and sister, Mrs. Hepburn.

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### Winchester

B. Arlene Hayes of Winchester, N. H., a freshman at Colby College, Waterville, Maine, has been pledged to the Alpha Delta Pi sorority. Miss Hayes prepared for college at the Thayer High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hayes of 55 Mechanic Street, Winchester.

### Mt. Hermon Items

Dr. R. Bretney Miller, the school physician and assistant to Dr. W. G. Webber at Mount Hermon was in Boston last week taking medical examinations which will allow him practicing medicine in any state.

The Women's Missionary society held its all-day sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Allen Norton last week Thursday. In addition

to making dresses for the children in Miss Chadwick's Orphanage for Colored Children in Atlanta, Ga., quilting was done on two quilts to be contributed to the bazaar for the benefit of Sir Wilfred Grenfell's work in Labrador.

The speaker at Memorial Chapel last Sunday was Mr. Frank S. Coan of India.

Miss Dora M. Peaslee has returned from her home at Franklin, N. H., after an operation for appendicitis.

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### Shear Nonsense

Small Boy—Dad, we learned at school today that the animals have a new fur coat every winter.  
His Father—Be quiet, your mother is in the next room.

He—What a queer name you have, Miss Dunkelberg.  
She—Well, you know what you can do with it.

Marsh—Here's one name on the committee that I never heard of.  
Webster—Oh, that's probably the person who actually does the work.

Gerald: I can't see why you should refuse to marry me because I asked for just one kiss.  
Geraldine: Well, any modern fellow who would ask for a kiss isn't aggressive enough to make a good living.

### Hinsdale

The body of Mrs. Fred Maxfield of Holyoke, Mass., formerly of Ashuelot, and well known in this town was brought here Wednesday of last week for burial in Pine Grove Cemetery. The funeral was held from the Congregational Church on Thursday.

The next meeting of the Hinsdale Women's Club will be held Nov. 29, with Miss Eva C. Robertson at Brattleboro, at which time, Mrs. Emma Lamb will have charge of the program.

The senior class members of the local high school are planning to canvass the town, the latter part of this month, for old discarded magazines that anyone may have.

Miss Josie Redding of Gloucester, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Crawford and Mr. Crawford.

The following real estate transfers in Hinsdale, were recorded in the office of the registry of deeds at Keene, during the past week: William Zavarovsky to Steve Bodnar, five acres land and buildings.

Miss Jeanne Garfield is ill and is under the care of Mrs. Harley.

A daughter was born in Westport, N. H., on Oct. 29, to Kenneth and Cora Knapp Grover. The child is granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knapp of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Taylor, recent owners of "The Kilburn" property, have gone to Groveland, Mass. Miss Marion Pierce, who is employed by Mr. Taylor, went with them.

Members of the Methodist Episcopal church will conduct an old-fashioned harvest concert, on Nov. 18, for the benefit of the Deaconess hospital in Boston. Donations will be received.

The body of Rev. Joseph Francis Langton arrived here Saturday from Stevens, Pa., and committal services were held at 1.30 p.m. that day at the Kendrick family lot in Pine Grove cemetery. Rev. Johnson A. Haines, pastor of the local First Congregational church, officiated at the grave. Rev. Mr. Langton was the father of Mrs. Fred Kendrick of this town.

The annual Armistice concert and ball, under the auspices of the local American Legion will be held in the Town hall Friday evening. Buckley's orchestra will play.

Mrs. A. M. Stafford of Battle Creek, Mich., who had been visiting relatives and friends in Barre, Vt., for some time, has returned here to the home of Miss Winnie E. Tilden for an indefinite stay.

Clarence B. O'Neal has been in New York the past week.

Miss Lila M. Stewart, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy C. Stewart, sr., returned to Cambridge, Mass., Sunday where she is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence D. Fay were in Winchendon, Mass., the latter part of the week.

Percy C. Stewart, jr., has been in Boston and vicinity for the past few days.

### Winter Ski Dates

The United States Eastern Amateur ski association at its annual meeting at the Weldon hotel, Greenfield, Sunday afternoon approved the following dates for ski meets in the Eastern section.

Dec. 30-Jan. 2, Annual college week, Lake Placid, N. Y.

Jan. 8, Lebanon Valley ski tournament, Norway Ski club.

Jan. 15, Interstate ski tournament, Bear Mountain sports association.

Jan. 20-21, Chester outing tournament, Chester outing club.

Jan. 22, Ski tournament, Swedish ski club.

Jan. 28, Invitation interscholastic meet, Bellows Falls, Vt.

Jan. 28-29-30, U. S. National amateur ski tournament, Salisbury, Q. C.

Feb. 3-4-5, Greenfield outing club winter carnival, Greenfield.

Feb. 3-4, University of New Hampshire college meet.

Feb. 4-5, Berlin winter carnival, Nansen ski club.

Feb. 5, New York state championship, Norway ski club.

Feb. 6-7, Maine state championship, Chisholm Ski and Outing Club.

Feb. 10-11, Interscholastic tournament, Cushing academy.

Feb. 11-12, U. S. Eastern Amateur association tournament, Norseman Ski club.

Feb. 13, Palisades Ski jumping tournament, Bear Mountain sports association.

Feb. 18, Invitation interscholastic tournament, Springfield, Vt.

Feb. 18, Invitation interscholastic tournament, Eaglebrook Lodge, Deerfield.

Feb. 19, Metropolitan championship, Norseman ski club.

Feb. 19, Open down hill ski racing, Winnepesaukee Ski club, Laconia, N. H.

Feb. 21-23, Lake Placid club tournament.

Feb. 22, Massachusetts State tournament, Lancaster.

Feb. 22, New England championship tournament, Brattleboro, Vt.

Feb. 25, Dartmouth outing club tournament, Hanover, N. H.

March 12, U. S. down hill championship race, Dartmouth college, Hanover, N. H.

March 18-19, Mount Washington snow fiesta, Nansen ski club, Gorham, N. H.

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### Postmasters Urge Early Xmas Mail

Early Christmas mailing will be especially important this year, Postmaster C. F. Slate of Northfield and Postmaster M. C. Skilton of East Northfield are reported as saying recently.

Since Christmas falls on Sunday there will be two consecutive days on which there will be no mail delivery.

All Christmas cards and packages, the postmaster declares, must be mailed not later than Saturday noon to insure local pre-holiday delivery. There will be no carrier service Monday, nor will the post office wickets be open. Mail, however, will be dispatched as usual.

Instructions are being issued by the postoffice department to address packages on one side only. Rules have also been made to the effect that letters must not be placed inside parcel matter; and Christmas seals must not be placed on bundles for foreign delivery though they may be marked, "do not open until Christmas."

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### Another Boy Shot By His Companion

Last week Emil Dwirilla of Turners Falls went out with five other boys to do some duck hunting. Two of the boys had shot guns, one a double barrel, the other a single.

The two guns were set leaning against the wood pile of the International Paper company while the boys were getting boats ready to launch.

Dwirilla and a companion had started out in one boat when another of the boys picked up the double-barreled gun and pulled the triggers. He was told to stop pulling the triggers and he set the gun down. The next moment he picked up the single-barreled gun and pulled the trigger. The gun went off and Dwirilla received the full charge in his back and neck.

Dwirilla was immediately taken to Farren Hospital where Dr. Pelletier extracted the shot. He is not considered dangerously hurt but will be under the doctor's care for some time.

It is another evidence that guns in the hands of boys is a dangerous proposition. When will the state decide that such is the case and limit the use of guns to people of more mature judgment.

Be prepared — have us look at your Generator and Storage Battery to see if it is ready for a Frosty Morning. The Morgan Garage, Northfield, Mass. Telephone 173. Adv.

### School Buses Of County Inspected

Inspection of school buses in this district were made last week by James Baker of Holyoke a representative of the equipment section of the registry. It's the first of the three month inspections required by the new law passed by the legislature at the past session.

All the buses of Northfield reported to the Inspector at Greenfield and were found to be in satisfactory condition.

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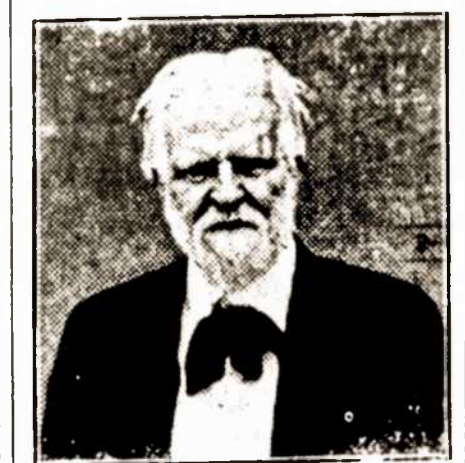
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Dubb: Say it with flowers!

Blank — You can get a six-room apartment now for \$60.  
Shank: What I need is a one-room apartment for a dollar.

Stebbins: Did you hear about Willard, the bank cashier, stealing fifty thousand and running away with his friend's wife?  
Perkins: Good Heavens! Who'll teach his Sunday school class tomorrow?

Wife: Dear, can you make your suit last another year?  
Him: Well, if I can't I'll have to join a nudist colony.



EDWIN MARKHAM

Edwin Markham, author of "The Man With the Hoe," "Lincoln, the Man of the People," and other famous poems, has written a poem to "The Forgotten Man," dedicated to Franklin D. Roosevelt.

"I have written this poem," writes Mr Markham, "after hearing Franklin D. Roosevelt, candidate for the Presidency, make a lofty and noble appeal for the Forgotten Man."

### My Favorite Recipes

by  
Frances  
Lee  
Barton

EVERYONE likes fresh, warm rolls for dinner, and for lunch or breakfast, too; but a lot of us do not like to spend the time which the old way of making them required. That's why I am sure that these three recipes for quickly made rolls will meet a royal welcome. In less than two hours from the time these rolls are started they come from the oven, golden brown, crispy crusted, and as delicious as rolls can be.

#### Pocketbook Rolls

3 cups sifted cake flour; 2 teaspoons combination baking powder; 1/4 teaspoon salt; 1 tablespoon butter or other shortening; 3/4 cup milk.  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, sugar, and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Pour milk over whole bran. Add to flour mixture and blend. Turn onto well-floured board. Knead lightly 2 to 3 minutes. Roll 1/4 inch thick. Cut with 2-inch floured biscuit cutter. Roll double and press edges together lightly. Brush tops with melted butter. Place in greased pan; cover and let rise in warm place 30 minutes. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 20 to 25 minutes, or until done. Makes 16 rolls. (One-fourth cup grape-nuts may be substituted for nuts, if desired.)

#### Bran Coffee Rolls

1 cup sifted flour; 2 teaspoons combination baking powder; 1/4 teaspoon salt; 1 cup whole bran; 1/2 cup milk; 1/2 cup brown sugar; 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon; 1/2 cup nut meal broken.  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, sugar, and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Pour milk over whole bran. Add to flour mixture and blend. Turn onto well-floured board. Knead lightly 2 to 3 minutes. Roll 1/4 inch thick. Cut with 2-inch floured biscuit cutter. Roll double and press edges together lightly. Brush tops with melted butter. Place in greased pan; cover and let rise in warm place 30 minutes. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 20 to 25 minutes, or until done. Makes 16 rolls. (One-fourth cup grape-nuts may be substituted for nuts, if desired.)

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"WILD GIRL"

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ON THE SCREEN

"SIX HOURS TO LIVE"

ON THE STAGE

— 5—BRILLIANT ACTS OF RKO VAUDEVILLE—5 —  
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PREMIERE OF "WILD GIRL"

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Charles Farrell, Joan Bennett and Ralph Bellamy Have Principal Roles  
In Fox Adaptation Of Story By Bret Harte

Presenting a picture of California in the days of the gold rush along with unusual romance of that colorful period, "Wild Girl" opens at the Lawler Theatre next Sunday with such luminaries as Charles Farrell, Joan Bennett and Ralph Bellamy in the leading roles. Raoul Walsh is said to have set a new standard in bringing a bygone era to the speaking screen with this adaptation of Bret Harte's famous story, "Salomy Jane's Kiss."

The story deals with the coming to a remote mining camp of a mysterious stranger in Confederate uniform, with a secret purpose of his own. His arrival awakens the interest of the camp's belle, Salomy Jane, a high-spirited and rather madcap daughter of the South, who



Charles Farrell finds an altogether new type of heroine in Joan Bennett, opposite whom he plays the principal role in "Wild Girl," the latest from the Fox studios. 2 P A

heretofore has had no patience with the pleas of her various suitors. When the stranger kills the camp's leading politician, the Vigilantes start after him, and despite the girl's efforts, he is captured and sentenced to hang.

At the last minute the stranger escapes, with the posse and especially one rejected suitor hot on his trail, and matters reach a gripping crisis when Salomy tries to aid him in getting away. How she effects this, with the help of the camp's leading gambler, forms the denouement of the story.

Stars Play Unusual Roles

Miss Bennett's part is far removed from any of her previous characterizations, and Farrell's departure from his customary society roles is equally notable. Both players are said to reveal hitherto unsuspected talents in their work, and the support of Ralph Bellamy as the big-hearted gambler, Eugene Pallette as a swaggering stagecoach driver, Irving Pichel as the vengeful suitor and Minna Gombell as a dance-hall girl, has been specially planned to enhance the performance of the principals.

The photography and the settings are likewise said to be unusual. With the exception of a few brief sequences made at the studio, nearly all of the picture was filmed amid the stately grandeur of the "giant forest" in Sequoia National Park on the slopes of the California Sierras—within a few miles of the exact locale of Harte's story. These vast trees and the vistas of the snow-capped peaks beyond them constitute a background rarely found on the screen.

"Wild Girl" is Walsh's first production in nearly a year, and represents more than a year's preparatory work. Doris Anderson and Edwin Justus Mayer wrote the screen play and Lemist Ealar directed the dialogue during the making of the picture.

## "NIGHT OF JUNE 13" IS "STREET SCENE" IN A SUBURBAN SETTING

"What 'Street Scene' was to the city, 'The Night of June 13' which opens Sunday, through Wednesday at the Lawler Theatre, is to the suburbs. Like its distinguished predecessor, 'The Night of June 13' tells the sensational events which transpire back of a commonplace apparently serene exterior. Like 'Street Scene' it deals with the tangled lives of several middle-class families, living in a restricted area.

But here its similarity to 'Street Scene' ends for 'The Night of June 13' is well capable of standing on its own feet as a dramatic unit and as an exciting and unusual photoplay. Its story is remarkably well told by both cast and director, and it moves with steadily increasing power to its exciting climax—a court-room scene that is rather a startling departure from the usual.

Particularly commendable is the work of Clive Brook as John Curry, falsely accused of murdering his wife and almost convicted on circumstantial evidence because none of his neighbors quite tells the truth. Each neighbor has a reason of his own for not wishing to account for his movements on the night of June 13, and each thinks that as John is guilty anyway, his little lie can't do any harm. Brook, with so many sophisticated roles to his credit, is remarkably fine as the middle-class husband who is caught in this strange mass of petty intrigue.

Next honors go easily to Mary Boland and Charlie Ruggles as the inquisitive Mrs. Strawn and her propitiating husband. They create even more laughs than their roles warrant, and look very much like an ace comedy team. Charley Grapewin as Grandpa Strawn comes in for his share of the laughs too.

Lila Lee is charming as Trudie Morris, the girl next door to the Currys, who is the innocent cause of Elna Curry's insane jealousy, and Adrienne Allen gives a rarely sensitive performance as the neurotic wife who kills herself when she imagines her husband to be unfaithful.

## "SIX HOURS TO LIVE" PREMIERE ANNOUNCED

Warner Baxter, Miriam Jordan and John Boles Have Leads In New Fox Picture Based On Unusual Romantic Theme

BASED ON ORIGINAL STORY "AUFWIEDERSEHEN"

Warner Baxter, popular screen star, is said to have the most powerful character role of his career in his latest Fox picture, "Six Hours to Live," which opens on Thursday at the Lawler Theatre. Adapted from the original story, "Auf Wiedersehen," by Gordon Morris and Morton Bartheaux, this picture presents Baxter in the role of an international diplomat, standing firmly in the face of ruin and death, in defense of his country at a disarmament conference.

To the other nations gathered at Geneva, partial disarmament means merely a reduction in taxes for their burdened countrymen but to Baxter's tiny republic, it means placing it at the mercy of powerful and unscrupulous neighboring states which covert its valuable resources. How he successfully combats a conspiracy to wreck his country, although his mind is distracted by a romantic interlude with a beautiful girl, forms the central theme of the film.

"Six Hours To Live," directed by William Dieterle, marks the screen debut of Miriam Jordan, beautiful young English girl recently recruited from the Broadway stage. She is said to be generously endowed with that illusive charm which distinguishes the more successful stars, and studio executives are confident that this unusual vehicle will place her within the realm of stardom. John Boles has a featured role and figures very prominently in the denouement of the story.

George Marion, Sr., well remembered for numerous unusual character roles, including his famous "Chris" in "Anna Christie," is prominently cast as Otto Bauer, an eccentric scientist. Halliwell Hobbes is seen and heard as Miss Jordan's father, Edwin Maxwell as a Police Commissioner, John Davidson as Baxter's secretary, and Dewey Robinson as Marion's giant assistant.

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"THE BIG BROADCAST"

On the Same Program:

George Brent and Loretta Young in

"THEY CALL IT SIN"

With Una Merkel and David Manners

TWO BIG FEATURE PICTURES

TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY—FRIDAY

November 15-16-17-18

With Clark Gable, Jean Harlow, Gene Raymond, and Mary Astor in

"RED DUST"

On the Same Program:

Marian Marsh, Norman Foster, Richard Bennett, Irving Pichel, and Reginald Denny in

"STRANGE JUSTICE"

AMATEUR SONG-WRITING TIME WASTED

WARNS BING CROSBY

Radio Star, Featured in "THE BIG BROADCAST", Sees No Future For Novices In Music Writing

All the world is writing songs—and wasting its time doing so! That, at least, is how it appears to Bing Crosby, radio star featured with Stuart Erwin, Leila Hyams and a large cast of other radio stars in "The Big Broadcast" romantic comedy of radioland at the Garden Theatre beginning Friday, November 11.

During the past six months he has received and sent back unread between 500 and 600 original songs, he explains. Some hopefuls, send

only music, some only lyrics and some both words and music. All are unsolicited and from unprofessional song writers.

"I have made it a rule never to read these songs," says Bing. "In the first place, usable songs for me would be few and far between and it wouldn't be worth all the time. Secondly, it is so easy to be accused of pirating a song if I happened to sing a song by a well known writer after I had looked at one which happened to be similar."

Crosby's advice to would-be song writers is to stop wasting their time in writing music.

"There is little money in song writing today," he says. "Of the thousands of melodies written each year, only a handful are hits. And a hit, one that becomes extremely popular, seldom brings the author more than \$8,000. These, naturally, are by the leading composers."

The decreased sale of sheet music and records has made song writing a gamble against too great odds for novices, Bing believes.

In "The Big Broadcast" Crosby plays the role of an irresponsible



THE BIG BROADCAST

radio singer who loses his job because he never shows up in time for his broadcasts. Miss Hyams, infatuated with him, persuades Erwin, a jittery lover who is still anxious to do anything he can for her, to buy the radio station and a network to re-employ Bing.

Erwin complies, with results that are dramatic and romantic, as well as amusing. Ultimately he wins his girl back again.

Kate Smith, the Boswell Sisters, the Mills Brothers, Arthur Tracy (The Street Singer), Cab Calloway and his Orchestra and Vincent Lopez and his Orchestra, and Burns and Allen are among other radio stars in featured roles.

George Brent, who takes the leading masculine role in "They Call It Sin," a First National production which will be shown at the Garden Theatre on Friday through Monday, will appear opposite Loretta Young for the second time during the current movie season.

He first played with Miss Young in "Week-End Marriage," but whereas in that picture he is the unsuccessful suitor for the hand of a girl who is already married, the part played by Miss Young, in the present production he wins her although she is in love with another man who is married.

The teaming again of Loretta Young and George Brent is directly due to the many requests received by the Warner Bros. Studio from thousands of movie fans who, having enjoyed this pair in "Week-End Marriage," asked the producers to again team them, but to give Brent more to do. This has been done in "They Call It Sin."

The picture is a highly dramatic story of the struggles of a young girl to win success in the New York theatrical world, in which she not only has to fight the advances of a none too honorable producer, but her own love for a man who cannot marry her.

It was taken from the widely read novel by Alberta Stedman Eagan and adapted for the screen by Lillie Hayward and Howard Green.

There is a fine cast of supporting players, which includes Una Merkel, ivDad Manners, Helen Vinson, Louis Calhern, Joseph Cawthorne, Neffa Walker, Elizabeth Patterson and Erville Alderson.

The picture was directed by Thornton Freeland, who handled the megaphone for "Whoopie," "Unexpected Father" and "Week-End Marriage."

CLARK GABLE AND JEAN HARLOW TOGETHER IN "RED DUST"

Two of Screen's Most Magnetic Personalities CoStarred at Garden Theatre in Dramatic Sex Triangle Laid in Cochin, China

One of the most anticipated productions of the new movie season comes to the Garden Theatre starting Tuesday with the co-starring appearance of Clark Gable and Jean Harlow in "Red Dust," filmization of the Wilson Collison play.

Gable, who still retains his title as the screen's most popular male star, and Miss Harlow of the sensational platinum tresses, first appeared together in the racketeer melodrama, "The Secret Six," the story of which was laid in a large American city.

Picturesque Locale

In "Red Dust," the locale is the picturesque region of Cochin, China, with Gable playing a hardened plantation foreman who has forced himself to become completely brutalized in an effort to remain superior to his environment of deadly fever, tropical heat and treacherous natives.

To Miss Harlow falls the role of Vantine, born to the tropics, hard-boiled, perfectly at home on the plantation and equal in strength and



JEAN HARLOW and CLARK GABLE in "RED DUST"

animal pugnacity to the men. It is when the beautiful wife of an engineer comes to the plantation and is involved in a love affair with Gable that the jealous and fiery nature of this savage-like creature asserts itself and brings the action of the plot to a dramatically compromising situation.

Both Perfectly Cast

Much of the advance praise of "Red Dust" emphasizes the perfect casting of this picture, Gable being perfectly fitted as the brutal rubber plantation overseer who is constantly engaged in vicious fights with his subordinates and thinks nothing of giving the coquettish Miss Harlow a slap across the face. Miss Harlow, likewise, is said to have a role which is even more made-to-order than her recent effective portrayal in "Red Headed Woman."

Th "other woman" of the dramatic triangle is played by Mary Astor. Gene Raymond is seen as Gable's rival and the remainder of the

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## AT THE THEATRES

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cast is made up of Donald Crisp, Tully Marshall, Forrester Harvey and Willie Fung. The picture was directed by Victor Fleming, who scored with the "The Wet Parade" and the Douglas Fairbanks success, "Around the World in 80 Minutes."

## "STRANGE JUSTICE DRAMATIZES EXTRAORDINARY CONSPIRACY IN FAST MOVING SCREEN ENTERTAINMENT"

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Norman Foster, who first achieved fame on the Broadway stage, portrays the role of the doomed man. Marian Marsh is his sweetheart; Reginald Denny, the man whose conniving placed the boy in jeopardy; and Richard Bennett the lawyer, who aids in saving his life.

Life At High Speed  
From the chronicles of real-life stories—the press of the nation—came the inspiration to make "Strange Justice."

And because nearly every scene in the production has been founded on some fact from every-day life, the picture teems with an intensity of modern life, according to critics throughout the country.

Two opposite sides of life are vividly shown... the gay cabaret and night light of New York; and the drab, despairing death house at Sing Sing.

Although grim and realistic at times, a beautiful romance between Miss Marsh, enacting the role of a Broadway hat-check girl and Norman Foster, a taxi-driver, dominates the theme of the picture, which Victor Schertzinger directed.

Ordeal of Human Hearts  
The plot of the picture is designed to carry the spectator through the whirl of metropolitan life, with its profligacy, its behind-the-scenes secrets and its pitfalls. The story builds rapidly into a complication that makes the hero an easy prey to a scheme that makes him "take the rap."

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cormie have moved from Pine street to the Buffum Block on Main street.

Mrs. Edgar J. Livingston has been visiting friends in Boston and will return home next week.

Mrs. Donald Williams is visiting her sister, Miss Clarissa Morgan in Cambridge this week.

Miss Beryl James has been elected secretary of the Congregational Sunday School.

Miss Eleanor Stearns of Hinsdale is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Galen Stearns at their home here.

Mrs. William Leslie is removing from East Northfield and will make her home with her son Clinton, at Glen Rock, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray and baby have closed "Briar Crest" cottage and returned to their home at East Providence, R. I.

Mr. Edward Zabriskie of New York spent last week end with his sister Miss Alice Zabriskie and Miss Katherine Stout at the Bruce cottage on Rustic Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Moody gave a dinner party last Saturday evening to Rev. and Mrs. Milton S. Rees, Rev. and Mrs. W. Stanley Carne and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pitt.

Rev. and Mrs. Milton S. Rees who are conducting the special evangelistic services at the Congregational Church are stopping at the Northfield Hotel.

## Locals

There will be a Chicken pie supper at the Grange Hall on Saturday evening from 6 to 7.30 o'clock and the women of the Grange promise to put on a "good feed."

Checks from the Christmas Club of the Northfield National Bank will be sent out early in December.

Mount Hermon School will issue its literary number of The Hermonites during the first week of December.

Rev. Robert Seneca Smith, D.D., of the Yale Divinity School was the speaker last Sunday at Sage Chapel of Northfield Seminary.

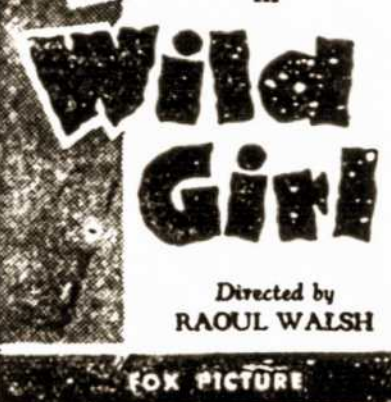
Christmas club deposits at the Crocker National Bank close on Nov. 19 this year and checks will be mailed on December 1, bank officials announced.

Many local Masons will attend the Twelfth Lodge of Instruction which will be held at Masonic Hall in Turners Falls on Monday, November 28th. Rev. Bro. W. J. Morgan will speak.

The New England telephone and telegraph company has been distributing in local business offices this week, copies of the New England business telephone directory for 1932-1933. This book furnishes a complete list of business telephones in New England by states and classification. It is published for retailers, wholesalers, manufacturers, distributors, purchasing agents, sales managers and all others who buy or sell.

## THREE STARS

in a fast-moving  
drama of  
Bret Harte's  
colorful California



Charles Farrell makes his debut in that is, for him, a new type of role in the Fox production, "Wild Girl."

## Shear Nonsense

The golfer who has paid up his club dues, settled for some lessons and bought an outfit found it hard to believe that the game started in Scotland.

Pish: Were you relieved when the bandit made his departure?  
Tush: I'll say I was—to the tune of some \$435.

"What does your husband like for dinner?" asked the young bride who was looking for advice.  
"Oh," replied the experienced housewife, "most anything I haven't got in the pantry."

Eloise: I had a quiet evening alone with a book last night.  
Vivienne: I'm afraid that's going to happen to me some night, too.

Book Agent (after talking steadily for half an hour): Sir, what is the matter? You haven't said a word.  
Victim: I have been trying to decide whether you were a wind bag or a wind-jammer.

Iddings: Why do they call Flossie "X-Ray"? — because she is so thin you can see through her.  
Kiddings: No, she was pitted by her boy friend, Ray.

## Personals - Locals

Among those who attended the recent gathering of Red Cross workers at Deerfield to arrange for the annual Red Cross roll call were Mr. William R. Moody who was one of the speakers. Prof. Roy R. Hatch of Mount Hermon, Mrs. Charles E. Leach, chairman of the local Committee.

Elliott Speer of Mount Hermon performed the wedding ceremony of Miss Kathleen Bement, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis D. Bement of Deerfield, and Harold Jaeger of New York city at the bride's home at Deerfield last Saturday.

Rev. Hesser C. Ruhl of Nyack, N. Y., who has been spending a few days here at the home recently purchased by him of Mr. and Mrs. George Witte on Ashuelot Road left Northfield Friday for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Coburn who spent the past summer in Northfield at their cottage in Mountain Park and who are now on their way toward Florida for the winter were guests of the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church at Mount Vernon, N. Y., recently at the annual luncheon meeting.

The talk on Child Guidance by Dr. Samuel W. Hartwell which was scheduled for Friday evening last at the Dickinson library hall under the auspices of the Fortnightly club had to be postponed at the last moment due to the inability of Dr. Hartwell to attend. Rather than substitute another speaker, the meeting was called off and will be arranged at another date to be announced later.

The Parent Teacher association and the Mothers' club are inaugurating a series of studies upon Child Guidance. The first was given last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Merwin D. Birdsall, president of the P. T. A. There will be several of these talks at subsequent meetings, all on the subject of the better co-ordination of the school, with the home in the matter of character building.

The fall meeting of the Franklin County Librarians will be held at the Public Library at Greenfield on Thursday, November 17th. Frank G. Wilcox, librarian of the Holyoke Public Library, and Vernon M. Schenck of the H. R. Huntington company of Springfield will be the speakers. Mrs. M. E. Vorse, local librarian expects to attend.

President Ralph Lloyd D. D., of Merrimack College, Merrimack, Tennessee, was the speaker in chapel last Friday at Northfield Seminary and also at Mount Hermon School. Using a phrase from Tennyson, "Loyal to the Royal in thyself," Dr. Lloyd declared that the requirements in achieving this ideal were first, teachableness; second, sincerity; third, courage; and fourth, reverence.

Many Northfield people were much interested in the address over the radio of Miss Anna Dawes of Pittsfield who is 81 years of age. She spoke on political matters last Saturday evening. Miss Dawes is the daughter of the late Henry L. Dawes who served eighteen years as our Representative in Congress and eighteen years as our Senator in Washington.

Thirty dollars was the amount of the offering at the recent Sacred Concert of the Mount Hermon Choir given at the Congregational Church toward the organ fund.

The Haven H. Spencer Post of the American Legion held the postponed installation ceremonies at the Legion room of the town hall on last Friday evening. District Commander Charles Delaney of Shelburne Falls was the installing officer. The officers of the post who were installed were: Harold Bigelow, commander; Stanley Payson, vice commander; Frank Bartlett, adjutant; George McEwan, chaplain; Richard Holton, finance officer; Fred Bolton, sergeant at arms.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tyler of Brattleboro announce the birth of a son, William Leslie on Saturday, November 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Miller were called to Brookfield last Friday by the death of Mrs. Miller's father, Mr. F. G. Phelps of that town. Their son, Mr. Richard P. Miller of Salem, Mass., also accompanied them to the funeral on Saturday.

President Paul D. Moody of Middlebury College spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Pitt. He was enroute to Amherst to deliver an Armistice Day address.

Mr. Charles E. Williams who has been confined to bed by illness during the past week is improving.

Mrs. Amy Starkey of Warwick Avenue sustained a fall at her home recently and injured her wrist.

Richard Mann, youngest son of Philip Mann of the Upper Farms, who was injured last week while playing in the sheds back of Number 3 schoolhouse, is reported as much improved.

Armistice day, being a legal holiday, all the banking institutions of the county will be closed throughout the day, according to the announcement of banking officials Wednesday.

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## "Come in for Coffee" Now Popular, Thrifty Invitation

By SARAH BLACKWELL  
Home Economics Expert  
Coffee Service Institute

The return to the use of leg-  
mutton sleeves and little square-set  
sailor hats has turned our thoughts  
to the Gay Nineties. Much of the



life of the days when grandmothers  
raised shocked eyebrows at the bi-  
cycle-built-for-two appears amus-  
ing and quaint—but none the less  
charming. And many hostesses are  
finding that "we moderns" are eas-  
ily entertained at home these days  
by some of the same things that  
amused the gay young blades at the  
turn of the century. An evening  
that begins with the cordial and in-  
formal invitation "Come in for cof-  
fee," may progress to charades and  
end in a hilarious gathering around  
the piano to sing such old favorites  
as "In the Shade of the Old Apple  
Tree," "Sweet Alice Ben Bolt" and  
"In the Good Old Summer Time."

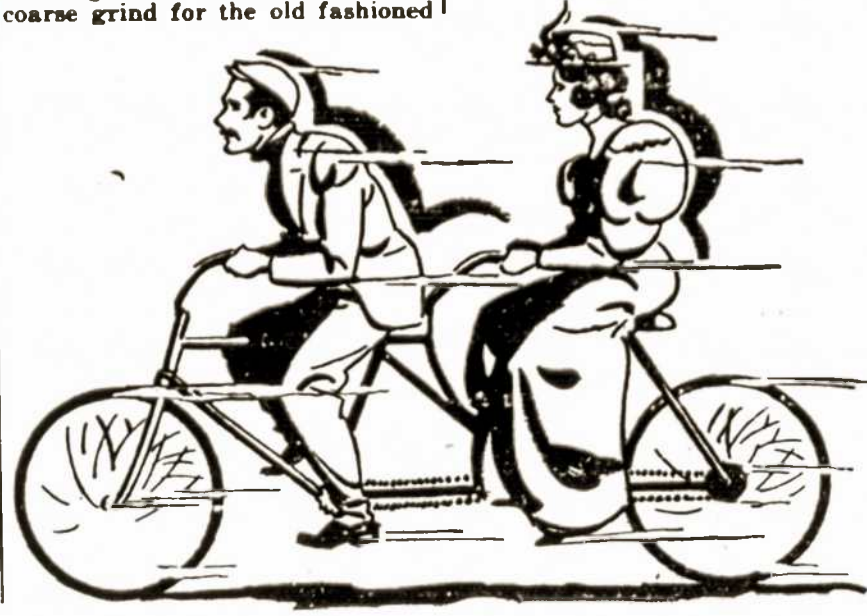
Smart hostesses on small budgets  
are responsible for this simpler and  
more spontaneous kind of entertain-  
ing. No longer able to give large  
dinners they've discovered that

their friends like to drop in casu-  
ally after dinner for coffee and  
amuse themselves. With a low cof-  
fee table, an attractive coffee serv-  
ice and a few willing guests who'll  
help pass cream and sugar, a party  
is well started on its way.

Just as some restaurants have  
gained fame by the excellence of  
their coffee so the kind of coffee you  
serve this winter may make—or  
break you socially.

Good coffee need not be expensive  
and it can be made by any method  
—drip pot, percolator or regular  
coffee pot—if you observe a few  
simple rules. First be sure your  
coffee is freshly roasted so that it  
has every bit of the fresh flavor and  
aroma that makes coffee so desir-  
able. Secondly remember to have  
your grocer grind it correctly for  
your method of making it or you  
won't get the full flavor of the fresh  
coffee. Fine grind for drip pot, me-  
dium grind for percolator and  
coarse grind for the old fashioned

coffee pot, have been found to give  
the best results. Then measure cof-  
fee and water accurately. One  
rounded or two level tablespoons of  
coffee to one measuring cup of  
water is the rule for breakfast cof-  
fee and may be used for after din-  
ner coffee. Many people think the  
best after dinner coffee is stronger  
so they use twice as much coffee for  
one cup of water. Allow your cof-  
fee to brew not more than 8 min-  
utes by any method, and you'll con-  
tribute much to your reputation as a  
hostess.



## Wall Street's Eating Habits Forecast Market Conditions



Where One Group of Financiers Have Eaten for 25 Years, a Corner of  
Ye Olde Chop House on Cedar Street, New York. Inset—"The Host  
of Wall Street" Harry Kramer Prides Himself on the Full Flavor  
of His Coffee Obtained by Being Freshly Ground Each Day.

NEW YORK CITY.—Steak and  
lobster, or ham and eggs? One fra-  
grant cup of freshly ground coffee  
or two—may be even three? No  
elaborate statistical forecast re-  
veals as much to Harry Kramer as  
do the luncheon orders of the finan-  
cial giants of Wall Street.

Mr. Kramer has had a great deal  
of experience with the eating and  
drinking habits of the bulls and  
bears—some twenty-seven years of  
it. His "food barometer" has never  
failed him. The stock market crash  
of '29 was foreseen by him right up  
on the second floor of Ye Olde Chop  
House on Cedar Street, when four  
well-known stockbroker patrons one  
day so far upset their accustomed  
routine as to neglect to order their  
second cup of coffee.

This prophesied dire things to  
Harry, for freshly roasted, freshly  
ground coffee of a superior blend is  
a famous specialty of the restau-  
rant. To it, Harry Kramer owes in  
no small measure his reputation as  
"The Host of Wall Street."

Originally known as "Old Jim's,"

mous establishment is a long one,  
dating back to 1799. A great many  
celebrities from presidents of the  
United States to eminent lawyers  
and financial men have supped there  
and the present clientele of lawyers,  
bankers and brokers have been pa-  
trons for many years.

The Chop House Club, composed  
of patrons of 25 years' standing, in  
bygone days partook of some un-  
usual delicacies. Before it was pro-  
hibited by law, bear meat was a  
specialty of the restaurant. So were  
ostrich, kangaroo, buffalo and elk  
meat.

The only specialty which has  
really survived from the inception  
of the restaurant, however, is  
freshly ground coffee. It is a tradi-  
tion of the house for Harry Kramer  
to personally grind the daily supply  
each morning as well as to drink  
the first cup, thus assuring himself  
that his particular customers will  
receive the full flavor of each bean.  
Housewives, says Mr. Kramer,  
would do well to have their grocer  
grind their coffee as they buy it  
thus preserving much of the rich

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## Busy Flying Family Finds Its Relaxation in Parcheesi

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Greenland, have become the world's  
busiest family. The moments which  
Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, six-year-  
old Janet Lee and eight-year-old  
Catherine have to live the more  
leisurely home life of the average  
American family are few indeed  
and are invariably taken up with  
playing club parcheesi, a modern  
version of the age-old Hindu game.

Three times a week, on Monday,  
Wednesday and Friday evenings,  
the Flying Family broadcasts the  
story of its aerial adventures over  
the N.E.C. network, and much time  
must go into the preparation and  
rehearsing of the radio programs.

In addition to this, the Hutchin-  
sons are preparing for a series of  
lectures while the elder members of  
the Flying Family are also engaged  
in the compilation of a vast amount  
of aviation data—the fruits of sev-  
eral thousand hours in the air.  
Mrs. Hutchinson must find time  
to keep a maternal eye on the edu-

cation of her children, for Janet  
Lee and Catherine have their read-  
ing, writing and arithmetic to do the  
same as all other little girls of their  
age. A tutor comes in to hear their  
recitations every morning. After  
more than a thousand hours in the  
air, the children, naturally enough,  
are one of the children's most pro-  
ficient subjects.

As for the enthusiastic games of  
club parcheesi that take place when  
the family gets together in their  
suite at the Governor Clinton Hotel,  
the Colonel ruefully admits that  
Mrs. Hutchinson so far has proven  
the better player.

"She has the woman's eye for  
small details," he confides, "and be-  
lieve me, club parcheesi is a brainier  
game than the game we used to  
play when we were kids."

"The duplus move which occurs  
when a player has one man home  
and is blockaded in moving his other  
men has been my weak point. Mrs.  
Hutchinson is a champion duplus-  
er. But I'll beat her yet!"

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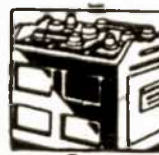
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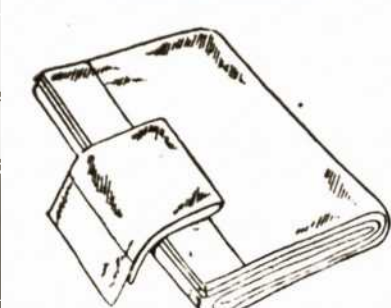
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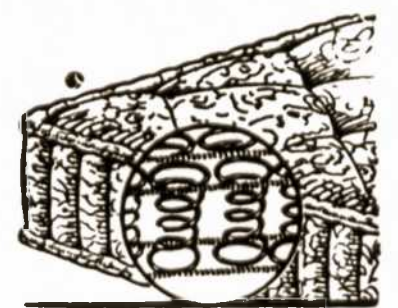
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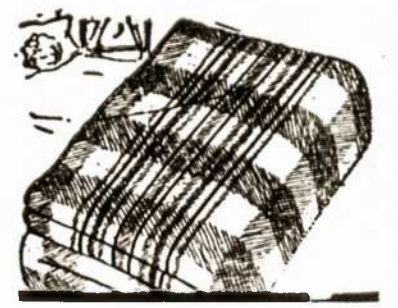
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